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SFRA EVENTS/ KEYNOTES
Registration

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SFRA EVENTS/ KEYNOTES <sup>1</sup>
SFRA early-career scholar event: Application Anecdotes and Alternative Career Paths in SF/F
Moderator: Sarah Lohmann
Stefanie K. Dunning, Sarah Hamblin, Sarah Lohmann, Sang-Keun Yoo

13:00-13:30

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Welcoming words

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SFRA EVENTS/ KEYNOTES <sup>2</sup>
Keynote Speech 1: <b>Bogi Takács Perelmutter</b>
Chair: David M. Higgins

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ENVIRONMENTAL SF <sup>3</sup>
ANIMAL AGENCIES
Chair: Karoline Huber
Conrad Scott* Anna Maria Grzybowska* Amy Cutler

CoFUTURISMS <sup>4</sup>
INDIGENOUS & LATINX FUTURISMS
Chair: Patrick Brock
Ida Yoshinaga & Kenrick Kamiya-Yoshida,* Aylin Walder, Taryne Jade Taylor,* Rubén R. Mendoza

SF GENERAL <sup>5</sup>
ROUNDTABLE: TRANSFORMATIONS & FANTASTIC EXPERIMENTS IN <i>POOR THINGS</i>
Chair: Francesca Arnavas
Francesca Arnavas, Marzia Beltrami,* Silvia Kurr, Mattia Bellini

SF GENERAL <sup>6</sup>
LOOPS & PARALLELS
Chair: Ildiko Limpár
Jasmin della Guardia & Koji Tachibana* Megan Stephens

GENDERED & QUEER SF <sup>7</sup>
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Chair: R. B. Lemberg Perelmutter
Mel Kennard, Sarah Nolan-Brueck

18:00-19:00

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EXHIBITION <sup>8</sup>

CURATOR TOUR TO THE EXHIBITION  
*TRANSFORMING LITERARY PLACES*

Francesca Arnavas & Mattia Bellini  
(University of Tartu)

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ENVIRONMENTAL SF <sup>9</sup>
SF'S ENVIRONMENTAL AFFORDANCES
Chair: Amy Cutler
Karoline Huber, Mark Bould, Susanne Roesner

SOCIAL CHANGE <sup>10</sup>
POSTHUMAN ENTANGLEMENTS
Chair: Aidan Diamond
David J. Cross, Benjamin Horn, Heather McKnight

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NEURODIVERGENT INSIGHTS
Chair: Rachel Anderson
Anna Kurowicka, Emily Aguilar,* Terra Mae Gasque*

CoFUTURISMS <sup>12</sup>
CoFUTURISMS & ECONOMIC CRITIQUES
Chair: Samuel Chirtel
Michelle Louise Clarke, Regina Kanyu Wang*

SF GENERAL <sup>13</sup>
HUMAN-MACHINE INTERFACE
Chair: Eero Suoranta
Paul Pragash & Prasanth Arokia Samy* Ruiying Zhang* Han Xiao*

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CoFUTURISMS <sup>14</sup>
WHAT'S IN A NAME: FROM AFROFUTURISM TO PRIETOPUNK
Chair: Patrick Brock
Erick J. Mota, Anibal Hernández Medina,* Yasmin Portales-Machado, Lu Ain-Zaila*

SF GENERAL <sup>15</sup>
WORLD-BUILDING
Chair: Ciarán Kavanagh
Simon Spiegel, Veera Mäkelä, Llew Watkins

SF GENERAL <sup>16</sup>
SF AND SCIENCE
Chair: Hugh C. O'Connell
Simona Bartolotta, Sheryl N. Hamilton, Danielle Spencer*

SF GENERAL <sup>17</sup>
PAST IMAGINARIES
Chair: Oliver Rowe
Alari Allik, Marta Korbel* Huang Yafei*

SF GENERAL <sup>18</sup>
CHALLENGING REALITIES
Chair: Noah Terrell
Alan N. Shapiro, Essi Varis, Lyu Guangzhao



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<b>SOCIAL CHANGE</b> 19
(POST)CAPITALIST REALISM
Chair: Francis Gene-Rowe
Jo Lindsay Walton,* Sarah Hamblin, Tiff Graham*

<b>GENDERED &amp; QUEER SF</b> 20
FILMIC GENDERS
Chair: Olga Gajek
Carolina de Oliveira Silva,* Luiza Lusvarghi, Jędrzej Burszta

<b>SF GENERAL</b> 21
SCIENCE & RELIGION
Chair: Tiina-Erika Friedenthal
Tara B. M. Smith, Arshiya Cahal* & Simran Gindwani,* Cat Ashton

<b>ENVIRONMENTAL SF</b> 22
SF FRAMINGS OF THE ANTHOPOCENE
Chair: Christopher Leslie
Christopher Leslie, Daniel Matallana

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<b>SOCIAL CHANGE</b> 24
SPECULATION & THE CRISIS OF THE PRESENT
Chair: Jerry Määttä
Gabriel Burrow, Lauren Crawford*, John Rieder

<b>CoFUTURISMS</b> 25
AFROFUTURISM AND AFRICANFUTURISM
Chair: Rubén R. Mendoza
Andrew Erickson, Julia Gatermann, David Shackleton*

<b>GENDERED &amp; QUEER SF</b> 26
GENDER IN COLD WAR FICTION
Chair: Raili Marling
Judith Rauscher, Chiara Viceconti, R.B. Lemberg Perelmutter

<b>SF GENERAL</b> 27
TIME & TEMPORALITY
Chair: Hugh C. O'Connell
Daniel Koechlin, Lidia María Cuadrado Payeras*

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Keynote Speech 2: <b>Meelis Friedenthal</b>
Chair: Jaak Tomberg

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<b>CoFUTURISMS</b> 29
<p>ROUNDTABLE: CoFUTURISMS &amp; SCIENCE FICTION STUDIES</p>
<p>Moderators: Grace L. Dillon,* Taryne Jade Taylor*</p>
<p>Sheetala Bhat,* Patrick Brock, Gina Cole, Dustin Crowley,* Jalondra A. Davis,* Matthew David Goodwin,* Regina Kanyu Wang,* Kenrick Kamiya-Yoshida,* Blaire Morseau,* Graham J. Murphy,* Catherine S. Ramirez*</p>

<b>GENDERED &amp; QUEER SF</b> 30
<p>ALTERNATIVE FORMS OF GENDERED POWER</p>
<p>Chair: Agnieszka Urbańczyk</p>
<p>Jeana DelRosso,* Joanna Kaniewska, Tanya Clark*</p>

<b>SOCIAL CHANGE</b> 31
<p>INTERVENTIONS IN REALITY</p>
<p>Chair: Moritz Ingwersen</p>
<p>Filip Hauer &amp; Gabriela Štvrťová, Neil Gerlach</p>

<b>SF GENERAL</b> 32
<p>SPECULATION AND/ IN HISTORY</p>
<p>Chair: Jacob Emery</p>
<p>Giulia Iannuzzi,* Anastasia Klimchynskaya, Noah Terrell</p>

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<b>SOCIAL CHANGE</b> 33
<p>LUDIC SPECULATIONS</p>
<p>Chair: Chris Pak</p>
<p>Erica Masserano &amp; Francis Gene-Rowe, David Shipko, Paweł Frelik</p>

<b>CoFUTURISMS</b> 34
<p>OUT OF FRAME: THE GLOBAL SOUTH IN SF COMICS</p>
<p>Chair: Marco Petrelli, Umberto Rossi</p>
<p>Mattia Arioli, Patrick Brock, Marco Petrelli, Umberto Rossi</p>

<b>ENVIRONMENTAL SF</b> 35
<p>POLITICAL ALTERNATIVES</p>
<p>Chair: Agnieszka Kotwasińska</p>
<p>Charlie Toogood, Klaudia Paola Zalewska, Sarah Lohmann</p>

<b>GENDERED &amp; QUEER SF</b> 36
<p>NEGOTIATING TRAUMA</p>
<p>Chair: R.B. Lemberg Perelmutter</p>
<p>Beatriz Hermida Ramos, Olga Gajec</p>

<b>SF GENERAL</b> 37
<p>ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCIES</p>
<p>Chair: Alan Shapiro</p>
<p>Curtis Runstedler, Mengxing Fu,* Tong Boxuan*</p>

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COFFEE WITH CORY <sup>38</sup>

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Moderator: Hugh C. O'Connell

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SOCIAL CHANGE <sup>39</sup>

IS ANOTHER ECONOMY POSSIBLE?  
SPECULATING ON THE END OF CAPITALISM

Chair: Edward Larkin

Sherryl Vint,\*  
Ali Riza Taşkale,  
Edward Larkin

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GENDERED & QUEER SF <sup>40</sup>

TRANSCORPOREALITY & POSTHUMANISM

Chair: Miasol Eguíbar-Holgado

Faeze Rezaii,  
Siqi Li,\*  
Tânia Cerqueira\*

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ENVIRONMENTAL SF <sup>41</sup>

VEGETAL METAMORPHOSES

Chair: Silver Rattasepp

Agnieszka Kotwasińska,  
Maxine Gee

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SF AND/IN TRANSITION

Chair: Chiara Viceconti

Eero Suoranta,  
Andrus Org,  
Ciarán Kavanagh

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GENDER TRANSITIONS & SOLIDARITIES

Chair: Jędrzej Burszta

David M. Higgins,  
Agnieszka Urbańczyk,  
Miasol Eguíbar-Holgado

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BREAKING PRINT FORM BOUNDARIES

Chair: Keren Omry

Oskari Rantala,  
Bar Leshem,\*  
Sabina Fazli

ENVIRONMENTAL SF <sup>45</sup>

COMMUNITIES & CONNECTIONS

Chair: Charlie Toogood

Ewa Wisniewska,\*  
Yuezhou Tan\*

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POSTHUMAN CYBORGS

Chair: Pawel Frelik

Rachel Anderson,  
Kinga Földvály

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AESTHETIC ENGAGEMENTS

Chair: Alan Shapiro

Jacob Emery,  
Jan Topolski,  
Christina Lord

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DEI ROUNDTABLE:  
TRANSITIONS  
AND TRANSFORMATIONS

Moderator: Bogi Takács  
Perelmutter

Terra Mae Gasque,\* Ildikó  
Limpár, Ibtisam Ahmed,\*  
Ida Yoshinaga\*

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**CoFUTURISMS** 49

ROUNDTABLE: PUTTING  
CRITICAL DEFINITIONS  
OF WORLD SCIENCE  
FICTION INTO  
EVERYDAY PRACTICE

Moderator:  
Ida Yoshinaga\*

Sonja Fritzsche,  
Allanah Hunt,\*  
Guangzhao Lyu,  
Reem Mansour,\*  
Blaire Morseau,\*  
Cynthia Shin

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SCREEN FORMS

Chair: Luiza Lusvarghi

Ildiko Limpár,  
Sang-Keun Yoo,  
Jane Topping\*

**SF GENERAL** 51

SPECULATION,  
INTERVENTION,  
RENEGOTIATION:  
SF & ITS MEANS  
OF IMAGINATION

Chair: Esko Suoranta

Elise Kraatila,  
Esko Suoranta,  
Markus Laukkanen

**SOCIAL CHANGE** 52

CHALLENGING  
EXPANSIONISM

Chair: Raili Marling

Kristin Noone,  
Stephen Bruce,\*  
Frank I. Mueller\* &  
Anke Schwarz\*

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FRANCHISE  
AFFORDANCES

Chair: Simon Spiegel

Jari Käkälä,  
Justice Hagan,  
Sylvia Wrigley

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SFRA Conference Banquet (University of Tartu Museum)

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DEALING WITH DESTRUCTION
Chair: David Shipko
Zea Miller, Jerry Määttä, Keren Omry

CoFUTURISMS <span style="float: right;">56</span>
AFROFUTURISM'S GLOBAL CONNECTIONS
Chair: Andrew Erickson
Samuel Chirtel, Sumeyra Buran*, Li Guangyi*

ENVIRONMENTAL SF <span style="float: right;">57</span>
IMAGINATION, STORYTELLING & RESPONSIBILITY
Chair: Beatriz Hermida Ramos
Jaime Babb*, Aidan Diamond, Essi Vatile

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STYLISTIC INVESTIGATIONS
Chair: Kinga Földváry
Elizabeth Oakes, Yuheng Ko*, Xia Zijian

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WEIRD BLACK STUDIES
Chair: Alison Sperling
A Conversation with Alison Sperling, Stefanie Dunning & andré carrington *

SOCIAL CHANGE <span style="float: right;">60</span>
ACTIVIST INTERVENTIONS
Chair: Sang-Keun Yoo
Camilla Brudin Borg*, Pavla Veselá*, Moritz Ingwersen

GENDERED & QUEER SF <span style="float: right;">61</span>
QUESTIONING GENDER ROLES
Chair: Judith Rauscher
James H. Thrall*, Ibtisam Ahmed *



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BEYOND PREDICTION:  
A ROUNDTABLE  
ON SPECULATIVE  
DIVINATION

Amy Cutler,  
Francis Gene-Rowe,  
David M. Higgins,  
Rebekah Sheldon,  
Llew Watkins,  
Samuel Chirtel

**SOCIAL CHANGE** <sup>63</sup>

ALTERNATIVE HISTORIES  
& MATERIALITIES

Chair: Gabriel Burrow

Kenneth Hanshew,  
Oliver Rowe,  
Alan Lovegreen

**ENVIRONMENTAL SF** <sup>64</sup>

UTOPIAN  
(ECO)TECHNOLOGIES

Chair: Sheryl N. Hamilton

Timothy S. Miller,\*  
Chris Pak,  
Camille Byrne\*

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**LOSSI 3 LOBBY**

**SPECIAL GUESTS PANEL** <sup>65</sup>

REVOLUTIONS AND REVOLUTIONARY  
FACTIONS IN VIDEO GAMES

A Conversation between  
Olga Moskvina and George Ziets